Steel Common Makes New High Record--- All Exchanges Closed Until Tuesday BOXER AL KAUFMAN

STEEL COMMON'S NEW HIOH 79 7-8. GENERAL MARKET STRONG. BUT RATHER QUIET.

NEW YORK, Sept. 3, 2 p. m .- There | TODAY'S SALES ON have been few changes in the market during the last hour. Some very small fractional recessions from high were recorded, but the tone of the market is one of great firmness. Most of the traders have put their accounts into shape for the three days' adjournment, and are ready for a vacation. There is not the slightest pressure to sell

NEW YORK, Sept. 3 .- Once more the Street is in an excellent humor with financial conditions. The liquidation attendant upon the return of Mr. Harriman, seems to have cleared the situation materially, closed out the weekly held accounts and given relief through the wiping out of hugh pyramids of long stock. There were plenty of buying on the but to a close observer it was evident that this buying was chiefly in the Harriman shares and in Steel issues. A new high record was established on Steel common at 79%, and there is much tak of middle 30°s before the end of the next week. It is beginning to grow line of the common shareholders will participate in the millions of earnings that have heretofore gone into betterments and away greater than those of the preferred shares, that the time must come when the common shareholders will participate in the millions of earnings that have heretofore gone into betterments and improvements. It is even reported that in line with the expansive policy of the mext declaration. The report that the corporation is negotiating for the purchase of the Pressed Steel in line with the expansive policy of the many believers. It is in line with the expansive policy of the many sleeves. Specialists advise that there are many is now involved.

Foreign conditions, especially cheap money and the knowledge of American exchange until Tuesday. All American exchanges will also be closed. Shorts in Steel common were very nerveus. Specialists advise that there are many stop orders by hears around 80, and that they may be caught any time. Switch and the word of the exchange with the excent of the morning there were but few leaders that showed the undertone of the list attracted a little more attention but the ceffic, which had risen a point; St. Paul ¼; Reading 7, and Penning within a carried and the morn nour the list attracted a little more attention but the ceffic, which had risen a point of the exchange with the exceptions being Southern Pacific Union Pacific, Pennsylvania, Delaware and Hudson, and the Steel shares. Late in the noon nour the list attracted a little more attention but the ceffic, which had risen a point; St. Paul ¼; Reading 7 man, seems to have cleared the situa-tion materially, closed out the weekly held accounts and given relief through

steady.

The new high record for Steel common was made just before 1 o'clock-79%—thus recovering all its loss and making a new high in short order.

Most of the metal stocks were a little

Entering the second hour of the afternoon the list was strong, and rather p

quiet.
The firm of Freeman, Rollins & Co. falled and was suspended. The firm was organized January 18, 1909. It has not been especially active, although traders recall large operations in Reading around 120, but not much of anything since then. Perley L. Freeman is the Stock Exchange member. Liabilities are placed at \$200,000; assets, \$190,000.

THE CURB MARKET.

Quotations Co., member Thomas L. northwest:	s New	York	Stock	Exchange
Bay State	Gas	14	17	Low.P.M 1% 1

				1:00
	Oper	.High	Low.	P.M.
Bay State Gas	1/4	14	178	1,6
Boston Col'd Cop	14%	15	14%	15
British Col. Cop	65%	65%	65%	65%
Cumberland Ely		71%	714	714
Davis Daly	656	656	656	656
Goldfield Con	684	684	634	634
		17	15	16
Goldfield Daisy	2417		2416	241%
Nevada Con	2972	2478		
Nipissing Mining		10%	103%	10%
Ely Cent 13		13-16	18	18
Bay Con	18%	18%	18%	183%
Union	18	1/2	14	3/2
Rawhide		28	28	28
La Rose		856	81/2	816
Kerr		85%	88%	85%
Yukon	5.7	554	5.7	55%
# 31/20/16	210		~1.6	- 10

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

(Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, Hibbs Building, members New York Stock Exchange, Washingten Stock Exchange, and Chicago Board of trade.) RAILROADS.

DEFENSELESS MAN

A woman writer in one of the current magazines says women are sacrificed by thousands in the name of marriage. Yes, but what about the defenseless men who are each year torn from their comfortable homes and dragged to the altar?—Columbia, S. C., State

Gathering of Sea Driftwood Regular Business in New York

Bands of Men Commanded by Women Can Be Seen Daily Along Water Front Raking Fuel From the Ocean.

town Italian quarter.

own Italian quarter.

Clad in the brightest raiment, the work and Dividends at the rate of \$3 a day are not at all unusual.—Cleveland Plain directs the operations bustles hither and Dealer thither along the docks, her eye on the wood that has a commercial value.
Generally she has six men and several boys under her authority, while several the reconstructs from just one bone of the reconstructs from just one bone. wheelbarrows, a boat, and plenty of Manila rope complete the outfit for Manila rope complete the outfit for gathering the material. Each man has a pike—out in the lumber districts they call it a "peevey"—with which he harpeons those pleces that are not within he reach of his hand and drags them to

One of the best hunting grounds so far discovered by "Maria," as she is called, is the sea wall along the Battary, and the best place is that little basin alongside the barge office, where the watermen tie up their boats. There the wood gathers in great mass and, far from preventing the woman and her crew from taking the wood away, these Italians are looked upon by the watermen with a favor akin to that which is accorded the gull that clears the

And every instant "Maria" is on the

Commanded by a woman, a company of Italians is in daily action along the sea wall of New York, gathering up the wood that floats into the bay from the sound and the Hudson, and that which is driven in from the sea. There is a system i nthis wood gathering: not a stick goes to waste, and there is not a piece that does not get its exact place in the pile that is gathered.

Every day there may be seen on some part of the water front, busy as bees, letting nothing escape their watchful eyes and carrying all away to the depot. All the small pleces and carrying all away to the depot in the very center of the downtown Italian quarter.

These men and boys have been known in from the sea. There is a system in this wood gathering: not a stick goes to waste, and there is work had brought ha. Sound oak and fine cedar are not uncommon, while pine logs, varying in size from railroad sleepers to glant telegraph poles, find their way into the cooking stoves of the East Side, while the larger finds are disposed of according to their utility and value.

These men and boys have been known Commanded by a woman, a company | alert to see that she gets all the work

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JUST LAUGH.

Don't let's get too serious,
Don't let's get too gay;
There's nothing going to happen
To frighten peace away.
We take events too sternly,
We grow too grave by half;
The country's coming on all right—
Just laugh.
—Baltimore Sun.

POOR OYSTER.

The oyster is a funny bird,
For silence he's renowned;
But I have heard an Oyster Bay—
It's a queer Long Island Sound,
-W. H. W., Short Stories Magazine,

Wholesale Produce Prices

Eggs, Cheese and Butter, Cheese—New York flats, large, per lb., 18½c small, per lb., 17c.

Eggs—Nearbys—Per doz., 28c.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 20e3lc; renovated, 25½a27c.

Poultry.

Live Poultry-Chickens, spring, per lb., 18c; hens, 15a15360; rv. sters, Ec; young ducks, large, per lb., 10.10; small, per lb., 9a10c; geese, per lb., Jac; turkeys, toms, per lb., 16c; hens, per lb., 16c. Fruits.

Fruits—Apples, new, per barrel, \$1.00a\$4.00; oranges, California, per box, \$2.50a3.50; pine-apples, \$2.00a3.00; cantalcupes, per crate, 50a a82.00; peaches, per basket, 75ca\$1.36; water-meions, 10a20c apiece; grapes, per carrier, \$1.00a.2.25.

Vegetables. Vegetables.

Vegetables—New potatoes, per bbl., \$2.00a
2.25; sweet potatoes, \$2.00a2.50; cuoumbers, per basket, \$1.25a2.00; spring cabbage, per bbl., \$6ca\$1.25; squash, per crate, 25a60c; string beahs, per bbl., \$2.00a3.00; lettuce, per basket, \$1.00a1.50; beets, per doz. bunches, 25a30c; radishes, per 100, \$2.00; onions, per bbl., \$1.50 a2.00; corn, per doz., 15a20c; tomatoes, per box, 40a5c; green peppers, per bbl., \$1.00a 1.50; lima beans, per quart, 10a13c.

Live Stock. Calves, per lb., 6a8c; lambs, 6a61/20.

GOSSIP FROM WALL STREET

Harriman & Co.-Think we have see lowest prices for some time, but market will be irregular for quite a period. There will be a small suspension after the opening this morning and it may quiet things down again temporarily. Would buy on reactions and sell on bulges.

W. B. Hibbs & Co.-Specialist advice ndicate that there are a good many bear stops in Steel around the 80 leve and if they are reached the stock may rise rapidly. Morgan interests seem to think the stock will work up toward \$5 next week. Gossips of favorable div-idend developments next month are not credited.

E. F. Hutton & Co.-Operations of Na ational Lead Company now at ful capacity. Agreement reached between operators and miners in Pittsburg district and the latter will return to work. Steel Corporation now operating 60 per cent of its tin mills.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Bid.	Aske
S. con. 2's, Reg., 1930100%	101
S. ccn. 2's, Coupon, 1930100%	10
S. 3's, Reg., 1908-181011/2	10:
S. 3's, Coupon, 1908-181011/2	102
	117
S. 4's, Coupon, 1925	113
S. P. C. 10-30 yr. 2's, Reg.,	
36	101
s. of Col. 3-65's, 1924107	
nama 1938's100½	101
	S. con. 2's, Reg., 1930

REALTY TRANSFERS. Barry Farm-Robert F. Bradbury e

ux. to James H. Magruder, part lot 2 ection 2, \$10. Moore & Barbour's Addition-Harry

Sullivan, lot 17, square 134, \$10.

Richmond Park—Northwest Washington Improvement Company to Guy H. Hunt. Eliza J. Hunt, and Mary L. Packard, lot 61, square 261, \$10.

633 Seventh street northeast—Henry I. Quinn to Barbara Pospisiel, Elsie F. Pospisiel, and Joseph W. Pospisiel, part lot 18, square 891, \$3.860.

213 First street northeast—Julia G. Jones and Margaret H. Ferris to Ada V. McKinley, lot B. square 725, \$10.

1615 Nineteenth street northwest—Joseph D. Sullivan to Silas S. Daish, lot 17, square 134, \$10.

Holmead estate—Robert L. Waters et ux. to Fannie A. Somerville, lot 63, square 2855, \$10.

921 G street southwest—Annie E, Carney et vir to Jennie Campbell, lot 8, square 389, \$10.

Girls portion, second addition to Hagard & Clouin course—R. Hoit Easley et ux. to Lynchburg Investment Corporation, parts.

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Interest—Jno Moran to Mary F.
Burritt, part lot 7, square 121; lot 16,
square 75; lots 29, 30, 31 and 32, square
75; lots 26 and 27, square 49; part lot 12,
square 101; part lot 5, square 40; lots
23, 24 and 25. square 27, and part lot 15,
square 42; \$10.

K street northwest between New
Jersey avenue and Third street—Antoinette O. Malone et vir to Mary A.
Harrigan, part lot 2, square 558, \$10.
1320 T street northwest—Jennie E.
Tucker, et vir to Lewis W. Oldham and
George W. F. Oldham, lot 49, square 238,
\$10.

"Have any of you gentlemen ever been alligator fall into the hole, Grogan to Norah Grogan, lot it, square 69, 110.

Between K and L and First and North Capitol streets—Elizabeth C. Standley to Harriet V. Fisher, part of lots 56 and 57, square 621, \$10.

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Selween Fourand-a-half and Water streets—Simon Oppenhemer et ux. to James A. Healy, lots 4 and 5, square 592, \$10.

Tunlaw road—International Realty and Development Company to Lena B. Sayman, lot 37, square 189, \$10.

Thirty-fourth street, between P street and Volta place northwest—Ida B. Wetzerick to Sarah R. Railing, part of lots 4 and 5 and 138, square 1855, \$10.

Woodley Park—Middaugh & Shanner, Inc., to Katherine P. Wade and Mary E. Moran, lot 45, block 16, \$10.

P leasant Plains—John P. Henriques and Bertha S. Henriques to John Mitchell, lot \$12, square 2908, \$10.

P street, between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets—Samuel Artz et ux. to Mary E. Collins, part of lot 206,

nx. to Mary E. Collins, part of lot 209, square 1259, \$10.

Between Eighth and Ninth and T streets and Rhode Island avenue—August Long 1x. to William F. Thill, lot 24, squ 336, \$10.

"Look, look!" said my friend, who was in the tree with me, at the same time pointing over to the place where the dog was carrying on his little dance alongside the lagoon.
"I lookled avenue—August I would have considered it a frivolous tale, but I saw exactly that thing with my own eyes."—Buffalo Courier,
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BETTER MARKET FOR LOCAL STOCKS. California Heavyweight Will Wed Now Looks As If Champ Will Meet GAS AND RAILWAY COMMON MAKE GOOD GAINS.

There was a decidedly better tone in with sales of 300 shares. The opening sales. At the immediate opening Gas tion sold at 187 and 1371/2 ulckly to 75 and closed at 74%.

cal securities than there has been for sale was at 46, as against 44%, the best some time past and prices showed an bid yesterday, thence to a strong closing improvement all around. The session at 46%. It is evident that more credence was noticeable for a resumption of is being given to the reports of divi-activity in Washington Gas with a sharp advance of over a point on Thursday's preferred shares were firm at 92%. Tracdeclined % of a point, 73 being the first price. From this point the stock sold was wanted at 141%.

There was promise of good fall trad-Railway common was the active leader ing in the action of the list today.

TODAY'S SALES ON

Capital Traction, 10@1374, 10@1374, 20@ 137. Washington Railway and Electric, com, 50@46, 50@46½, 50@46½. Washington Railway & Electric preferred, 15@25½, 10@32½, 50@22½. Washington Gas, 25@73, 25@73½, 11@75, 21@75, 25@74½, Mergenthaler, 50@213½. American Telephone and Telegraph, 10@141½, 10@141½, 10@141½, 4fter call—Washington Railway and Electric Com, 50@46½, 50@46½, 50@46½.

WASHINGTON EXCHANGE

BID AND ASKED PRI	CES
GOVERNMENT BONDS. U. S. R. 2's Bid. U. S. C. 2'S 100% U. S. R. 2'S 101% U. S. C. 2'S 101% U. S. C. 3'S 101% U. S. C. 4'S 116% U. S. C. 4'S 118 D. C. 3.65'S 107	Ask. 101½ 101½ 102½ 102½ 117¼ 119
GAS BONDS.	
Georgetown Gas 5's	104 115
Cap. Traction R. R. 5's 1151/4	117

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS. Vash. Market 5's, 1927... Wash. Market 5's, 1927... Wash. Market 5's, 1947... Amer. Tel. & Tel. 4's....

PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS.
Capital Traction 138
Wash. Ry. & Elec. com 4634
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd 9234
Wash. Alex. & Mt. V 50
N. & W. Steamboat 285
Washletter Cos. Georgetown Gas 50 G F. & O. Dominion 30 Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co. 141% TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.

Anston Monotype 213
Anston Monotype 17% MINING STOCKS. NATIONAL BANK STOCKS. Metropolitan

SAVINGS BANK STOCKS. FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS. mmerson Steam Pump.....rapho, com...rapho, preferred.....ecurity Storage

WASHINGTON EXCHANGE RELLY IS INJURED RESCUING WOMAN

Former Georgetown Athlete Breaks Wrist While Stopping Runaway Horse.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 3 .- While attempting to stop a runaway horse in front of the St. Charles Hotel, Dr. J. A. Reilly, physical director of the Kansas City Athletic Club, and a former Georgetown University athlete, who is here for the purpose of entering some of his charges in the Marathon race at Park, was thrown heavily against a telephone pole. His wrist was

Dr. Reilly was passing by when the horse bolted just as a woman was en-tering the buggy. Reilly seized the ani-mal's head and was swung around with great force, a shaft of the buggy strik-ing his wrist with sufficient force to break it.

PAGE IS APPOINTED TO A POST IN CUBA

The Cuban government has perma ently appointed James Page, the American chief engineer of the water and sewerage system of Clenfuegos, Cuba, to the position formerly held in tempor-

FLYNN WILL BOX AT BIG BENEFIT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3 .- Jim Flynn will appear against Bill Pettus in the fistic carnival which will be given at Pueblo, Col., on September 22 for the benefit of the Pueblo Club, of the West-

HYLAND MATCHED TO BOX HERRERA

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3 .- Manage ack Perkins has decided to keep Dick Hyland busy at all events. Arrangements have been concluded for a twenty-round fight between Hyland and Aurelia Herrera, to take place at Bakersfield on September 16.

LOUGHREY MATCHED. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 3. — Young Loughrey, of Manayunk, and Jimmy Gardner, of Boston, have been matched to meet at the National A. C. on September 18.

HE DOESN'T MIND.

"Why, Johnny, what are you crying so about?"
"Got a lickin'?"
"Well, don't you mind."
"G'wan! That's wot I wuz licked fer!"—Cleveland Leader.

TIME TABLES TO BLAME.

One reason why the ticket agent is esked so many fool questions about the trains is because so many of the trains is because so many of the time tables are got up in such foolish fashion.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Hunt for Alligators Is Sport Popular in Tropic Region

Dogs Used for Decoy to Lead Reptiles Into Trap-Canines Can Jump Hole, While Pursuers Fall. Natives Expert at the Game.

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P. street, between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets—Samuel Artz et ux. to Mary E. Collins, part of lot 269, square 1239, \$10.
Between Eighth and Ninth and T.

BUILDING PERMITS.

The following building permits were issued today:

To William Murphy, three two-story brick dwellings from 113 to 117 Kentucky avenue southeast; architect, N. T. Haller Company; builder, William Murphy; estimated cost, \$9,000.

To William F. Wariner, two two-story frame dwellings at Sheridan avenue, near Field street, northwest; architect, William F. Warriner; builder, A. Nickerson; estimated cost, \$1,000.

To C. E. Hendrick, to repair one boarding house at 2300 M street northwest; architect, C. E. Hendrick; builder, Frank Reynolds; estimated cost, \$1,000.

"Have any of you gentlemen ever been | way and Mr. Alligator fall into the hole,



TO MARRY ACTRESS

After His Bout With

Jack Johnson. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8 .- Just by way of adding the leaven of romance to the business of prizefighting, Al Kaufan, the big heavyweight who meets Jack Johnson September 9, has an-nounced his engagement to be married. The bride-to-be is Anna Little, a member of the Ferris Hartman Opera Company, now playing at Los Angeles. Kauiman will defer the wedding until after the championship bout.

STANLEY KETCHEL ON HIS WAY EAST

Langford, After

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—Stanley Ketchet arrived in Chicago yesterday at noon on his way to keep his little engagement with Sam Langford at the Fairmont

Club.

He had his father and brother with him, and as Willus Britt didn't receive a wire saying that he had taken the Twentieth Century Limited, he figured that Ketchel had run over to Grand Rapids with his father.

He will probably leave Chicago for New York some time today.

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